Reference Mission Design Concept

- **Yardstick Mission Concept**

  - that by which all others are judged
  - keeps our people sharp/smart buyers and smart advocates
  - hones our modeling tools (cost and technical)
  - represents a point of departure for trade studies

- **Stretch vs Core?**

  - certain capabilities considered nearly as important as the 'floor' req's and designed into the concept at the outset

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